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ABSTRACTS OF VIRGINIA LAND PATENTS.

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(320). MARY BOXE, 300 acres in Henrico county, on Appamattuch river, adjoining the land of Elizabeth Ward, and extending to "Pearse his Stile" creek. Due: 100 acres in right of her late husband, John Boxe, an ancient planter; and 200 also in his right, due him for the transportation of the said Mary and three servants: Thos. Neale, Edward Holland, William. By West, June 1st, 1636. Renewed in the name of Mary Boxe, her daughter.

(321). WILLIAM WELLS, 50 acres in the county of Elizabeth City at the head of Hampton river, adjoining the lands of William Stafford and John Place. Due: for his own personal adventure. By West, last day of March, 1636.

(322). JOHN PLACE, 150 acres in Elizabeth City, at the head of Hampton river. Due: 50 for the personal adventure of his wife, Mary Place, and 100 for the importation of two persons, Peter Beesely, and Rich'd Freeman. By West, the last day of March, 1636.

(323). NATHAN MARTIN, 500 acres in Henrico, the land being called the great field; bounded on the south by the river. One of the line marks is a tree "over against the fallen creek" [Falling Creek]. Due: 50 acres for his own personal adventure; 200 by surrender from Benj. Carrall (to whom due for the transportation of four persons); 100 by surrender from Robt. Hollan (to whom due for the transportation of two servants); 50 by surrender from Thos. Harris (to whom due for the transportation of one servant), and 100 by surrender from Wm. Farrar, Esq. (to whom due for the transportation of two servants). By West, last day of May, 1636.

Head rights: Nathan Martin, Edward Ellis, Jonathan Dawson, Eliza Tully, Alexander Nosley, Richard Goodall, John Holloway, John North.

(324). THOMAS PRIVETT, 50 acres in the county of Charles River, a neck of land at New Poquoson. Due for the transportation of one servant. By West, June 2nd, 1636.

(325). JOSEPH MOORE, 200 acres in Elizabeth City, at the Old Poquoson, bounded on the west by a creek called football quarter creek, and adjoining the land of Thomas Symons, and on the east by Moore's

Creek. Due for the transportation of four persons: Gilbert Reynolds, Wm. Richards, Barbary Chapman, Mary Shorte. By West, June 2nd, 1636.

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(326). ROBERT HOLLAM [1], 1,000 acres in Henrico county, adjoining the land of Edward Osborne, said land lying right opposite a creek called the fallen creek. Due for the transportation of twenty persons (names below). By West, June 2d, 1636.

James Place, Richard Ferris, Kata. Perfitt, Jon. Nichols, Richa. Baly, Edwd. Holland, Thos. Smith, Uriah Clark, Francis Vissett, Humphrey Grizell, John Read, Richard Dixon, James Reddy, Bartholomew Cooke, Mary Allen, Humphrey Cassell, James Hoomer, Thomas Morethorpe, and two negroes.

NOTE.

[1] There is on record in Henrico county, a deed, recorded April, 1680, from John Sturdivant and Sarah his wife, of Charles City county, to Samuel Woodward, conveying a tract of land at Turkey Island, Henrico, patented by the relict of Mr. Robert Hallam, and granted by her to the daughter and heirs of said Hallam, viz., the said Sarah Sturdivant and her two sisters—the whole tract contained 1,000 acres. There was also recorded at the same time, a power of attorney to Col. Edward Hill, from Samuel Woodward, son and heir of Sarah Sturdivant, daughter of Mr. Robert Hollam, and formerly wife of Samuel Woodward, deceased, of Charles City county.

There was recorded in Henrico, in June, 1691, a deed from John Gundey, of Gloucester county, son of John Gundey and his wife Anne, daughter of Mr. Robt. Hallam, deceased, conveying to Capt. William Randolph, a tract of land at Turkey Island. And also a deed, recorded August, 1705, from Samuel Woodward, of Boston, Mass., son of Samuel Woodward and Sarah his wife, conveying to Wm. Randolph, one-third interest in a thousand acres of land at Turkey Island.

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(327). EDWARD OSBORNE, GENT., 400 acres in Henrico, adjoining a swamp called the great swamp, and the river. Due: 50 for his personal adventure, and 350 for the transportation of seven persons, Robert James, William Howe, Richard Hitchcox, Lewis Boloe, Robert Horr, Chas. Steward, Richard Bumpass. By West, June 2d, 1636.

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(328). EDWARD LOYD [1], 400 acres on the westernmost branch of Elizabeth river, adjoining the land of Cornelius Loyd, and John Sibsey. Due for the transportation of four persons. By West, March 30, 1636.

NOTE.

[1] Edward and Cornelius Loyd, brothers, settled in Lower Norfolk county. They sympathized with the dissenters, and were charged with

supporting and protecting a dissenting minister, who was afterwards banished from Virginia. Edward Loyd was a justice of Lower Norfolk in 1645, and a Burgess for that county in February, 1644-5, and October, 1646. Shortly after this, he joined the Puritan Colony which removed from Virginia to Maryland; became a prominent and wealthy man there, and was the ancestor of the distinguished family of the Lloyds of "Wye." There is recorded in Lower Norfolk, a deed, from Frances Watkins, late wife of John Watkins, of Virginia, and now wife of Edward Loyd, of Maryland, surrendering her dower right to certain lands. Edward Loyd was to pay a certain sum to her son, John Watkins.

In July, 1641, Cornelius Loyd made a deposition in Lower Norfolk, in which he stated he was then aged thirty-three years. He was appointed a justice of Lower Norfolk in November, 1646, and was a Burgess for the county in March, 1642-3, October, 1644, November, 1645, March, 1645-6, November, 1647, April, 1652, and July, 1653. He was also lieutenant-colonel of militia. There is recorded in Lower Norfolk a deed, dated April 24, 1651, from Cornelius Loyd, gent., assignee of his brother, Edward Loyd. In September, 1654, there is a suit in Lower Norfolk by Elizabeth, widow of Lieutenant-Colonel Cornelius Loyd. The inventory of Colonel Loyd contains a suit of armor and a case of pistols, both together valued at 120 pounds tobacco. In 1655 Elizabeth, widow of Cornelius Loyd, from love and affection to Philemon, son and heir of Edward Loyd, of Maryland, conveyed to him certain claims and personal estate.

Harrison's History of Old Kent county, Md., contains a genealogy of the descendants of Edward Loyd, and his will has been printed in Waters' "Gleanings," in the *New England Historical and Genealogical Register*.

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(329) WILLIAM CARTER [1], 700 acres in James City county [in the part now Surry], three miles from James River, adjoining the rich neck and the Sunken marsh. Due, 50 for the personal adventure of his first wife, Avis Purtley; 50 for the personal adventure of his second wife, Ann Mathis; 50 for the personal adventure of his now wife, Alice Croxon, and 550 for the transportation of eleven servants (names below). By West, May 20, 1636.

William Antheron, Andrew Robinson, Rich. Cooke, Francis Bick, Richard Bick, Alice Watkins, Alice Johnson, Eliza Johnson, Henry Snow, Nicholas Burnett, Edward Bland.

NOTE.

[1] There is on record in Surry, dated March, 1653, the deposition of William Carter, Sr., aged about fifty-four, and of Alice Carter, aged fifty-five. By deed, recorded in Surry and dated November 20, 1655, Alice, widow of William Carter, conveyed to Edward Pettaway, who

married Elizabeth, widow of William Carter, Jr., son-in-law [step-son] to the said Alice Carter, 500 acres given said William Carter, Jr., by his father, William Carter, Sr., to be held by the said Pettaway during the life of said Elizabeth. A family of Carters, probably descended from this patentee, was resident in Surry at a much later date.

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(330) WILLIAM CARTER, 100 acres in James City county; a neck of land near the head of Lower Chippooks Creek, and adjoining the land of Robert Sheppard. Due for the transportation of two servants, Rich. Crick and Michaell Siler. By West, May 20, 1636.

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(331) WILLIAM COLEMAN, 100 acres in Elizabeth City, at the Old Poquoson, and called the football quarter. Due, 50 for the personal adventure of his wife, Katherine, and 50 for the transportation of one servant, Jaques De la Rey. By West, March 10, 1635.

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(332) GEORG SALISBURY, 500 acres in the County of Warrosquick on Warrosquick River. Due him by order of Court, dated December 4, 1634. By West, last day of April, 1636.

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(333) BOBERT LUCAS, 150 acres in the county of Charles River, on the New Poquoson. Due for the transportation of three servants, John Lewen, Richard Abberlyn and John Taylor. By West, last day of April, 1636.

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(334) RICHARD CREEDLE, 150 acres in the County of Charles River, on a Creek of the New Poquoson, and adjoining the land of Thomas Wray. Due said Creedle by deed from Katherine Powell, April 19, 1636. By West, last day of April, 1636.

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(335) RICHARD CREEDLE, 100 acres in the county of Charles River, at the New Poquoson. Due, 50 for the transportation of one servant, and 50 by deed from Katherine Powell. By West, last day of April, 1636.

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(336) JOHN BRIDGES, 200 acres in Warrosquick County, on the west side of Warrosquick River, adjoining the land of Thomas Jordon. Due for the transportation of four persons. By West, June 4, 1636.

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(337) WILLIAM PARKER, 350 acres in the county of Warrosquick, on the south side of the Nanzemond River, over against Dumpling's Island. Due for the transportation of seven persons: John Gately, John Middep, Jane Veale, Mary Harford, John Freethome, Mary Waters, Wm. Gilding. By West, last day of May, 1636.